

Please amend the Abstract as follows:

~~The disclosure relates to a~~ A pedal support for a vehicle ~~, comprising~~ having a bracket (9) ~~which is~~ secured in a bulkhead disposed in the vehicle between the passenger compartment of the vehicle and the engine room. ~~;~~ a A first shaft (3) is secured in the bracket and horizontal and transversely directed in relation to the direction of travel of the vehicle. ~~;~~ a A pedal arm (2) is provided with a footplate (23) and pivotal about a first shaft. ~~;~~ an An operating device (22) ~~which is~~ secured in the arm (2) a distance from the first shaft and ~~which is~~ disposed for ~~manoeuvring~~ maneuvering or controlling a vehicle function, for example a braking function. ~~According to the invention, the~~ The first shaft (3) is movably disposed in the bracket (9) in the direction of travel of the vehicle. ~~;~~ the The first shaft ~~having~~ has a normal position locked by means of a locking device (13). ~~;~~ and the The locking device being, in the event of a collision, openable for permitting displacement of the first shaft (3) to a safety position where the footplate (23) is displaced away from the legs ~~[[/]]~~ or feet of the vehicle driver but where the function of the operating device (22) is at least partly retained.